

a plurality of liquid crystal devices, each of which is disposed [positioned] over [resp ective mirrors] a mirror [on] which is disposed over a dielectric layer [on] which is disposed over a semiconductor substrate,

a plurality of electrical circuits formed in said semiconductor substrate coupled to said liquid crystal devices, respectively, for placing a voltage across [its] electrodes of said liquid crystal devices, and

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a reflector/absorber layer positioned and patterned with respect to said mirrors for shielding said plurality of electrical circuits from ambient light,

said reflector/absorber layer having an edge overlapping an edge of said mirror to form an overlapping region to decrease ambient light from passing into said semiconductor substrate.

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4. (Amended) The spatial light modulator array of claim 1 wherein said mirrors have a supporting layer having a substantially planar upper surface and said mirrors include a respective metal layer for reflecting light, said respective metal layer is disposed on said substantially planar upper surface of said supporting layer.

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6. (Amended) The spatial light modulator array of claim 1 wherein said plurality of liquid crystal devices have a thickness determined by a spacer dielectric layer [having], said spacer dielectric layer has openings formed over said respective mirrors.

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Claim 14, line 24, delete "overlapping mirror"; replace therefor --mirrors--;

Claim 14, line 26, delete "mirror"; replace therefor --mirrors--.

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39. (Added) A display unit comprising: